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THE CONSTITUTION-

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There have been many interrogatories of late as to when the Constitutional Convention will be convened the number of delegates that will comprise such Convention, the manner of their selection, etc.

The delegates are to be selected by the people of the whole State, as well as from the different Senatorial districts of the State, as follows: Two delegates from each senatorial distriet, and fifteen from the State at large. As to the time for holding such election, that is for Gov. Hyde to decide, and he will doubtless name the date for such special election soon. The best brains of the State should compose such Convention, without regard to politics, if the best interests of the State are to be served.

The Washington correspondent of the Globe-Democrat says that it has come to the sudden attention of the Republican congressional leaders that unless reduction in taxation and consequent reduction in expenditures are made very promptly there will be a reaction in the country. The electorate, they are convinced, voted the Republicans into power to effect economies and these have not yet been made in any conspicuous way. He says that there is said to be grumbling in the country against the Republican Congress, complaint being founded on the alleged failure of the party to show due regard to present day conditions. Ain't it the truth?-Louisiana Journal.

WASHINGTON LETTER

Washington, D. C., Aug. 16 .- Upon President Harding's return to Washington from his latest vacation in New Hampshire, it was agreed among Republican leaders after a conference with the executive that Congress will take a recess after the pascage by the House of the tax bifl, which at this writing has not been introduced, the passage of the Farmers' Relief program and the extension of the Emergency Tariff act until the permanent tariff law shall be enacted.

This means, of course, that the tax bill, which should be one of the most carefully considered of all, will be rushed through at high speed, thus recalling a recent colloquy in the House, as follows:

Mr. Mondell (Rep. floor leader) The tax bill will pass the House much sooner than the date the gentleman

Mr. Mann (former Rep. floor feader). I hope not, A good tax bill will not pass then if it passes quickly. The sooner it passes the poorer it will be if it passes without consideration in the Committee and without consideration in the House. What I said a while ago would then be true, God help. the country! (Applause.)

Heller, Republican, Indicts Administration.

No attack made upon the Republican administration to date has caused more comment than that made by Repesentative Keller (Rop., Minnesota), one of the really important men of the great northwest. No Democrat has been so severe in his criticism of the administration as Mr. Keller, because the Democrats have been charitable toword the struggling adminis tration, and sincerely desirous of aiding it to solve the problems that confronted it largely as a result of the obstructive tactics of the Republicans in the last two years of the Democrat-

Some of the indictments brough against the Republican party by this able Republican, representing a great agricultural constituency are:

"Our ability to compete with other nations for world markets-and consequently our prosperity-primarily depends on reasonable transportation charges, cheap power, low interest, easy rents, low taxation, efficient labor and systematic distribution. We have adopted a policy which has brought about the exact reverse of these ideal conditions. The government has attempted to legislate upon every one of these vital problems within the past six months, but instead of honestly searching for the best way out of our industrial difficulties, and welcoming the dishiterested advice of economists, scientists, engineers, real financiers and experts in various lines, the machinery of government has been commandeered by a little clique, ignorant of the A B C's of economics, whose blind obedience to Wall street is responsible for the stupid, selfish and short-sighted policy that is retarding our prosperity and creating profound distrust and discontent among the people.

"The President has assumed more power than any of his predecessors and tells Congress what bills to pass. Bills concocted at secret conferences are introduced without being referred to responsible committees.

"The Ways and Means Committee has demonstrated its utter unfitness to deal intelligently with the great financial measures on which to a great degree the prosperity of the country depends

"There are rules of taxation just as well established as the laws of mathematics. But instead of calling in competent experts, the Ways and Means Committee seeks the advice of a multimillionaire Cabinet officer. He suggests repeal of the excess profits tax, reduction of the higher surtax rates on individual incoves, increase of the corporation tax, retention of the ruinous transportation tax and the nuisance taxes, with new impositions on automobiles and bank checks and increased rates on first-class postage.

"This policy will further depress industry and fail to raise sufficient revenue for the government's needs; Less than 5,000 persons-most of them war profiteers-pay the higher surtaxes on incomes of more than \$100,000 annually, yet Secretary Mellon wants to cut in half the \$500,000,000 which they contribute to the upkeep of the government and throw the additional burden upon small manufacturers, jobbers, merchants and workers and farmers.

"Most members of the House want to carry out the people's wishes, but down the safety valve of free discussion until an explosion impends which will scatter the Republican party from Maine to California."

And the Harding administration i not yet six months old.

Democratic Constructive Legislation

With the Republican Senate, and House at loggerheads, with Republicar Senators and Representatives criticising the administration, its method and policies, with almost painful lack of leadership in both houses, with practically nothing yet accomplished in the way of legislation after four months of continuous session of Congress, it is refreshing to turn to the following record of constructive states. manship made by the last Democratic administration, as set forth by Representative James C. Cantrill of Kentucky in his masterful speech on the tariff:

"The Republican party in all of its campaigns has charged that the Democratic party lacked constructive ability and was unable to properly conduct the government. All fair minder people know, of course, that such a charge is purely for political effect and that such a charge is contrary to the history of our country. To call to mind those things fresh in the memof the people I assert without fear of contradiction that during the eight years of the administration of Woodrow Wilson more constructive legislation in behalf of the people was written on the statute books of our nation than under any previous administration in our history, and the sub stantial achievements brought abou during the eight years of Democratic centrol will make up the brightest pag-

es of our national history. "Under the Wilson administration

the greatest war in the world's history was fought and won. Let us not forget that Woodrow Wilson was Commander-in-Chief of the Army and Navy in that great struggle. The American Army and Navy brought the World War to a successful conclusion and secure imperishable fame for the American republic. The Democratic administration financed not only the World War for our own country, but financed our Allies and came through without a panic and with the credit of our nation secure-surely in a business way the most stupendous undertaking in history.

"The Democratic party passed the federal reserve laws, which has made us the creditor nation of the earth.

"The Democratic party passed the federal farm loan law, which enables the farmer to borrow money on longterm notes at low rates of interest in order that the farms of our country might be developed and our food supply made secure.

"The Democratic party passed the Underwood tariff law under which our nation saw the greatest prosperity in its history.

"The Democratic party and its leaders had control and won the war and the Republican party during its two years of power has been unable to even make a treaty of peace.

"The Democratic party passed the Smith-Lever Agricultural Extension Act, established the Bureau of Markets, the Bureau of Farm Management, the cotton future act, the grain grades bill, the co-operative farm administration act, and the federal warehouse act.

"It was the Democratic party which developed the parcels post act and gave the American people relief from the express companies' trust.

"The Democratic party established the Department of Labor and gave the laboring men a member in the President's Cabinet.

"The Democratic party passed the child labor act and the workingmen's compensation act.

"The Democratic party established a women's bureau in the Department of Labor, which has since been destroyed by a Republican Congress, withholding appropriations for its sup-

"It was a Democratic President who appeared before Congress and urged that the woman suffrage amendager be submitted to the States for ratifi-

"A list of other measures enacted under a Republican administration for the public welfare could be named but to what single measure can the Republican party, since its two years in power, point with pride in the interest of the great majority of American citizens? Let it be remembered that the Republican party has had a

that the Republican party has had a majority in both branches of Congress for the past two years.

"Our great leader, Woodrow Wilson, was stricken down before his administration came to a close, but the great record which the Democratic party made under his leadership will always be an inspiration to those who love justice and to those whose hearts go out to struggling humanity. He was cut down in the prime of life, but his words and deeds will be forever honored and cherished because he labored for humanity with the ideals of the Democratic party always before him as his guiding star. Let those who as his guiding star. Let those who love justice and equality before the law; let those who believe in serving the masses rather than the classes; let those who want to see America take her rightful place as a leader of nations strike hands with the Democratic party, so that progress and not reaction shall be our national policy.

ELVINS

Mrs. M. S. Norris and little daughter, of French Village, returned Fri-day after a few days visit with rela-

G. W. Edmond and Tom Sharp, Fredericktown, came here Saturday to visit relatives and friends, returning

Sunday. Ruby McGehee, of St. Louis, came here Tuesday to spend a week with

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edmond returned to Fredericktown Sunday, after a few days visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Nelms and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Nelms and Mr. and Mrs. Cooksey went to Bonne Terre Monday to visit Mrs. M. E. Cooksey.

Everett Kinney of Knob Lick came here Monday to visit relatives.

Mrs. John Miller and son, Dan, of Doe Run, came here last Friday to visit relatives.

Misses Edna and Joyce Robinson returned from St. Louis Thursday.

Mrs. Henry-Propst, of Three Rivers, is visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Mayme White, of Esther, visited relatives here the first of the week.

The following setended the Baptist Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edmond

NOTICE

Beginning Monday, August 22nd

the following time table will be effective north to St. Louis and south to Fredericktown:

No. 2		No. 4	No. 6	Miles		97.4	9:55	4:55	10:55
Daily	0.83	Daily	Daily	7 3 4	Towns	Miles	No. 3	No. 5	No. 7
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9:10		2:10	7:10	23.0	GOLDMAN	64,4	8:45	3:45	9:45
9:20	39	2:20	7(20	38.2	HILLSBORO	59:2	8:35	3:85	9:35
9:40		2:40	7:40	42.7	VICTORIA	54,7	8:15	8:15	9:15
9:55		2:55	7:55	46.0	DE SOTO	51.4	8:00	3:00	9:00
10:50		3:50	8:50	62.9	BONNE TERRE	34.5	7:05	2:05	8:05
11:10	100	4:10	9:10	67.6	DESLOGE	29.8	6:45	1:45	7:45
11:15	2	4:15	9:15	68.6	ST. FRANCOIS	28.8	6:40	1:40	7:40
11:25	7.7	4:25	9:25	69.7	FLAT RIVER	28.0	6:30	1:30	7:30
11:55	100	4:55	9:55	77.2	FARMINGTON	20.2	6:00	1:00	7:00
12:25	m	5:25	10:25	86.7	LIBERTYVILLE	10.7	5:30	12:30	6:30
12:40		5:40	10:40	92.8	MINE LA MOTTE	4.6	5:15	12:15	6:15
12:55	1 3	5:55	10:55	97.4	FREDERICKTOWN	0	5:00	12:00	6:00

Cars will arrive at and depart from the St. Francois Hotel of this city and the principal hotel at other towns.

All cars will arrive and depart in St. Louis from the Washington Ave. entrance of the Marquette Hotel at 18th and Washington Ave.

The following are the rates

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		Miles	Rate
Farmington !	to St. Louis	77.2	\$4.00
Farmington t	o Goldman	44.9	\$3.75
Farmington t	o Hillsboro	20.0	\$3.50
Farmington t	o Victoria	94.6	
Farmington !	to DeSoto	21 0 -	\$3.25
Farmington t	o Bonne Tarre	14.9	\$1,25
Farmington t	o Desloge	0.0	
Farmington t	o St. Francois	8.6	.75
Farmington t	o Flat River	7.8	.50
A Charles	ACCUMANT.		100
	SOUTH		
Parmington t	o Libertyville	9.5	\$1.25
Farmington t	o Mine La Motte	14.1	\$1.75
Farmington t	o Fredericktown	20.2	\$2.00

New Hupmobile Touring Cars will be used exclusively. Careful, efficient and courteous drivers.

St. Louis-Fredericktown Taxi Cab Co., Phone 143-144, Fredericktown, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Gray and chil- well last week. dren returned Tuesday after a two-weeks visit with relatives in Franklin county.
Mrs. Mary Brown returned Monday,

after a two weeks visit with relatives

the sympathy of the entire communi-

tery.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown and children returned Wednesday from a visit with relatives at Caledonia.

place Thursday at Parkview

PRIMROSE

Mrs. Anna Cash and little son, Albert, spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Mary Moon.

Morris Jones made a trip to Bonne

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Terre Wednesday.
Mrs. E. F. Meyer was shopping in
Bonne Terre Wednesday.
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Miss Nellie Moon spent Wednesday night at the home of L. H. Cash, Mr. Hoelzel, of Melzo, made a trip to Bonne Terre Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Matthey, of near Melzo, were Bonne Terre visitors Fri-

day. John Murphy, of Moontown, motore to Bonne Terre Friday.
Neal Cole, of Prospect and Mrs.
Wilkson, of near Melzo, were shopping in Bonne Terre Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Rawson were Bonne Terre visitors Saturday.
Miss Edna Riswson was guest of Miss Etta Lawson Sunday.
L. Williams motored to Bonne Terre was day the Effer part of last week.

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The following strended the Baptist Assembly at Arcadia Reights Monday: Louis Layne, Rev. Owens, and two children and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clemons.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Layne and children and Mrs. Chas Berryman and Mrs. Wm. Clemons.

Carl Berryman and son went to Farmington Friday to visit Mrs. J. W. Yeargain.

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Mrs. Wm. Layne and children went to Bismarck Saturday to spend the picnic at Tunnel Saturday night. John Blackwell, of Prospect. Mored out to Bonne Terre Monday. Floyd Lawson was a guest of Ferman Moon Sunday avening.

John Balley made a trip to Black-

Leonard Lawson attended the ball

Leonard Lawson attended the ball game in Bonne Terre Sunday evening. Mrs. Ida Jones was a visitor at the home of Willis Moon Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Andy Snyder were Bonne Terre visitors Monday. Elmer Rawson and Robt. Jones were visitors at the home of John Pettes

Sunday.
Mrs. Jones visited Mrs. Wm. A. Moon Monday. Several from here were Goff Springs visitors Sunday.

TUNNEL

Bryan Thurman and Homer Appleberry were guests at the home of H. C. Carter Tuesday.

Mrs. S. P. Cole and son, of Valle Mines, visited her sister, Mrs. J. J. Thurman Tuesday.

Misses Maea nd Leona Carter and brother, Rav. were guests of Mrs. Frank Hammock Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Carter and chil-

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Miss Hattie Appleberry was guest of Miss Pearl Carter Thursday.

Miss Edna DeGonia, of Bonne Terre, visited at J. M. Appleberry's Thursday.

lay. Mrs. Lizzie Richardson was in this ommunity Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Lon Moore were Valle

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Mines vistors Friday.
Lee Douglas visited in St. Louis
Friday and Saturday.
Howard Sparks, of Festus, is visiting Marvin Locke this week.
Lee Miller, of Bonne Terre, was in
this community Saturday.
Miss Edith Locke, of St. Louis; in
visiting her mother, Mrs. A. J. Locke,
of Silver Springs.

Valle Mines, visited at Elijah Nash's Saturday.

Mrs. Lem Moore is spending this week with her sister, Miss Emma Guettler, who is ill with typhoid fever in a St. Louis hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Head and daughter, of Yalle Mines, visited Mr, and Mrs. P. Porter Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Dan McLean and son, of Marquand, are spending this week with her son, J. W. Ellis.

Everett Thorman spent the past week in St. Louis visiting friends and relatives.

Matilda Clara Schafer, both of Doe Run.

Aug. 18—Daniel B. Jett, of Poplar Bluff, and Louise J. Trauermicht, of Farmington.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY

THE AID SOCIETY OF THE

Recolved, That the death of our friend and co-worker, Mrs. Adah M.

Waide, has removed from ourm identione seer ready to serve, faithful to give

Perrevisitor Sunday.

Eph Harris has gone to Montana to spend his vacation there with rela-

THREE ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF SELLING LIQUOR AT FAIR.

Sedalia, Mo., August 15.—E. Knops of Arkansas, Harry A. Sturgis and O. F. Price of Clarksburg, Mo., who conducted an eating stand at the state fair, were arrested here today on a charge of selling intoxicating liquors. Two and one-half gallons of corn whisky found in their possession were confiscated by the authorities.

The men were placed in the County Jail and will be turned over to federal authorities.

The foregoing was taken from Tuesday's Globe-Democrat, and one of the parties arrested is said to be E. Knopf, who formerly conducted a bakery here, but left for Mariana, Ark., a year or more ago. While the name in the dispatch is not spelled correctly for

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Aug. 11-Fred Jones and Mahel Aug. 11—Fred Jones and Mabel Jones, both of Desloge.

Aug. 12—Chas. A. Kirchner, of Farmington, and Della M. Bequette, of Lawrenceton, Ste. Genevieve county.

Aug. 13—Morris H. Gunn and Ida Bartley, both of Elvins.

Aug. 13—Howard H. Stegall and Mazell A. Easter, both of Bonne Terre.

Letter Stephen S

of Silver Springs.

Mrs. Roberts, of Primrose, visited Lang. 15—Wm. Chas. West, Jr., and her daughter, Mrs. Henry Douglas, Lucy L. Prewett, both of Granite City.

m. Harley Donwedy and Wess Nash, of Harley Donwedy and Wess Nash, of Valle Mines, visited at Elijah Nash's Matilda Clara Schafer, both of Doe

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Misses Eva Frazier and Neva Russbamer were guests of the Misses Statzel Synday.

A dance was given at Tunnel Grove Saturday night, which was well attended.

Miss Gertrude Watt, of Valle Minss, was guest of Misses Mae and Leona Garter Saturday and Sonday.

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